



# TED CRUZ

United States Senator - Texas

## NOMINATION TO A U.S. SERVICE ACADEMY 2017 RECOMMENDATION LETTER - INSTRUCTIONS

APPLICANT NAME (Last, First, Middle): \_\_\_\_\_

***Note to Recommender:*** *The person named above is applying for a nomination to a United States Service Academy. The Academies provide a college education and training for students to become commissioned officers in the Armed Forces following graduation. Each applicant must submit four recommendation letters along with their completed application packet by October 6, 2017.*

*The following questions are designed to provide the information necessary to select the best-qualified candidates. Please consider answering the questions below when writing your recommendation letter.*

-How long and in what capacity have you known the applicant?

-What academic, athletic, or other merits do you find most noteworthy in the applicant?

-Please explain to what extent the applicant does or does not demonstrate the highest level of leadership and character.

-To your knowledge, has the applicant shown a sincere interest in pursuing a career in the United States Armed Forces?

Please mail or email completed recommendation letters to:

U.S. Senator Ted Cruz  
Attn: Academy Nominations  
300 E. 8<sup>th</sup> St., Ste. 961  
Austin, Texas 78701

[Academy\\_Nominations@Cruz.senate.gov](mailto:Academy_Nominations@Cruz.senate.gov)

*According to federal law, all admissions materials must be shown to an applicant upon request.*